## **ANOTHER LOW RECORD** FOR WHEAT-CORN BETTER.

LATTER SHOWED STRENGTH AND MADE GAINS.

Speculation Was Slow and Dull and the Situation Without Special Features.

Office Republic, Priday, August 17, 1900. It was plainly evident at the start that grain markets here had not improved to any material extent over night and that in a general way the situation was nearly the same as it was yesterday. Corn, owing chiefly to the weather and crop conditions, continued to exhibit a fair undertone of strength and apparently found little trouble in maintaining its position as the leader in speculative grain markets, which it has held throughout the week so far, and was sufficiently bullish to make further gains during the day, while closing somewhat below the top at 1se to 14c higher in price. Wheat, on the other hand, was in a worse position than ever, making a weak and lower start on free selling, showing no well-defined powers of recuperation and finally closing at a decline for the day of 12c to 1467sc. The session throughout was noticeable for its duliness and lack of support. There were intervals when speculative interest seemed to be dead, there was none of consequence on outside account, and the little that was shown was largely professional, in consequence of which the aggregate volume of business for the entire day was light and the situation was devoid of startling features of any kind.

Wheat, without the least difficulty, succeeded in making another low-price record and closed the day at the low price on the crop and within a fraction of the bottom. crop and within a fraction of the bottom.

It was a bear market from start to finish and was without one redeeming feature from a bull point of view. Yesterday's sharp break of ic appeared to have completely demoralized the bulls and encouraged the bears, with the result that sell-bing was lively all through the day, and galveson. aged the bears, with the result that selling was lively all through the day, and especially right at the outset and during the closing hours, most of it being by longs, though snorts were also good sellers at times, too. There was not much news of any kind received, but the little teceived early was more ravorable to the bull cause than to that of the bears, yet it seemed to make no impression on the first named. The decilining tendency to winter wheat receipts at Western markets was again plain-

builtsh sentiment there was very little. The selling pressure was again resumed, and continued to the close, the only buyers being shorts. On the decline Sept. we it to 68½c, and at the close was ½c lower for the day at 69½g/kc sellers. Dec. sold off to 72½c and closed ½g/½c down at 72¼g/kc bid. Oct. sold and closed ½c lower at 70%c and Aug. was nominally ½o off at 69%c.

The weather, which still continues very fluence in corn and did more to strengthen this market than anything else. Rains were reported in Nebraska and Iowa, but most of the corn belt was said to still be suffering for lack of moisture. Country acceptances were small and the receipts light, the total arrivals at primary markets being 240,000 bu., against 454,000 bu. a year ago, including 41,600 bu. locally, against 72,000 bu. a year ago. Shipments were reported at 560,000 bu. and the day's clearances at only 135,000 bu. The weather made a great impression on the trade, and as there was an advance right at the outset, Sept. selling ½c higher at 37½c and Dec. at 503339c, the latter being ½c higher than last night. This market held up well until late, when the depression in wheat began to be fell, and it checked the advancing tendency and finally brought about a 'et-capun in prices. Sept. sold at 37½c, but shortly went down to and closed at ½c advance only for the day at 37½c. Dec. sold at 32½c and closed ½c up at that sellers. Aug. was nominally unchanged at 37½c, cot. closed ½c higher at 36c bid and year ½c better at 32½c bid.

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Trade Gossip.

Beerbohm's latest review of the foreign crop situation said that the weather was, on the whole, favorable for wheat cutting. In France same severe storms had interrupted the harvest, but not seriously. The Austro-Hungarian total wheat crop was estimated at 176,090,090 bu. asgainst 199,660,000 bu. last year. The net imports of wheat in Austria-Hungary for eleven months had been 220,000 bu. Wheat harvest was progressing in Russia under favorable circumstances.

—Taking this year's exports to Europe, somewhat incomplete, the shipments have been 323,080,090 bu. against 376,990,090 bu. the preceding year, while the average for four years has been 366,600,000 bu. The chief point of interest in the smaller export business has been the small requirements for Belgium, Holland and Germany.

—The Corn Trade News estimates the wheat crop of England at 19,000,000 bu., with 35 bu. per acre. against a total crop last year of 67,250,960, with an average yield of 22% bu. per acre. The largest yield in recent years was 34% bu. in 1898, when the total crop was 74,885,000 bu.

—The San Francisco Commercial News says that reports indicate very little change in the condition of wheat. Harvesting is about over. The yield is reported as somewhat disappointing, although warehouses are full to overflowing.

—Argentine shipments this week of 816,000 bu. were \$2,000 bu. larger than last week and 88,000 bu. in excess of the corresponding week last year. Corn shipments were \$80,000 bu. the week, against 496,000 bu. last week and 936,000 bu.

—If the estimate of the Department of Agriculture that the Argentine raised 163,000,000 bu.

—This week's wheat shipments from that country of at least 30,000,000 bu. word one year ago decreased 1,000,000 bu., and one year ago decreased 1,000,000 bu. on thipments of £20,000 bu.

—Liverpool received this week 474,000 bu. wheat, including 205,000 bu. despendent of 20

Cash Grain, Flour, Etc.

WHEAT—Cash market—Received, 19,605 sks. and 140 cars local and 3 cars through. Another decline and a heavy market. The late fine shipping demand has fallen off greatly, and now is but a mere shadow of what it was. City miliers bought very little to-day, so that nearly all that sold went to store. No. 2 red sold at 794c to 72c, the latest sales of choice at 71c; No. 3 red at 88c for thin to 706894c, lowest point lare; No. 2 red sold at 65c; No. 3 red at 68c for thin to 706894c, lowest point lare; No. 3 red st. 67c; to 67c; No. 3 do, quotable at 66c. Hard at 67c; to 67c; No. 3 do, quotable at 66c. CORN—Cash market—Received, 25 cars local and 26 cars through. Steady but very little demand. On E. trk. No. 2 white sold at 41c, but more offered at that and unsold. No. 2 brought 294c, but dull at that; No. 3 quotable at 38c.

OATS—Cash market—Received 25 cars local and 26 cars through. Steady and quiet. Offerings very small, which limited sales, On trk. No. 2 sold at 214c; No. 3 white at 214622c and choice at 234c; No. 3 at 216 214c; No. 3 white at 214622c for thin to choice; No. 4 do at 234624c, No. 2 white quotable at 251; 628c and old No. 2 Northern at 25c.

EYE—Dead dull and lower to sell Grade No. 2 not salable E. side above 48c.

ILOUR—Very quiet and easy, with the tendency to prices downward. The further decline in wheat has restricted domestic buying still more. Foreign business only in small lots and pot at all of a well-maintained character. Questions on soft winter wheat flour are as follows: Patents \$1,5062.55; clear \$3,2062.55; low and medium \$2,2562.50. Hard winter in jute sks.

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CORN MEAL-\$2.1962.15; pearl meal, grits and Liv COHN MEAL—\$1.1062.15; pearl meal, grits and hominy, \$2.40.

MILLFEED—Strong, as little offered, and sellers very stiff. On basis E. trk. skd, bran salable at \$6.50 ftg. latter for coarse, and mixed feed at 70c, with sales on direct orders at \$96.69 fc for bran, 78c for No. 1 mids. At mill bran jobs at 68c and ships 77c.

HAY—Received 725 tons local and 99 tons through; shipped 3.338 tons. Dull and easy, but quotably unchanged. A small local demand for the beat hay and very dull for the low grades. Prices for new on trk. range; Timothy \$1.2612.50 for choice, \$10.5091.50 for No. 1, \$2.50971 for No. 2, \$5.50976 for No. 3.

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7.59 for No. 1, 1596.30 for No. 2, 35.50gs for No. 2, Clover 139412.

STRAW—Wheat on trk. \$3.50; rye \$5. GRASS SELIUS—Timothy \$2.7593 spot and \$2.39 bid for prime to arrive Aug. Other seeds nominal. Per 109 lbs.; Millet local-prime German more; clover \$1 to \$1.50; Hungarian 60958c; redtop \$567.50. Others higher.

FLAXSEED—Firm and in demand at \$1.40 bid for spot. for spot.
CASTOR BEANS—Salable at \$1.20,
LEAD—Market quiet and unchanged at \$4.20,
SPELTER—Nominally \$4@4.95.

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make no impression on the first named. The decilining tendency to winter wheat receipts at Western markets was again plainly noticeable this morning, as the 150,000 bu, were only 85,000 bu. larger than those of a week ago. There was no increase in the local stocks, for the reason that another lot of No. 2 red had been withdrawn for shipment to Toledo. On the other hand the arrivals in the Northwest showed no increase, being 185 cars, against 225 a week ago and 212 a year ago. The first Liverpool cables reported a decline there of ½d, and Argentine shipments were said to be 815.

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Egg and Butter Quotations.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Local Fruit, Vegetable, Poultry, the cables reported a decline of ½d, and the decline had gone far enough, and this buying was sufficient to send Sept. up to 70½c and Dec. to 73½c. Late Liverpool cables were firmer, and the close there was no local states were again to be a considerable several markets were again dull and slow to-day, as receipts of nearly everything were heavy and the demand light. Prices as a rule were weak and lower to-day, as receipts of nearly everything were heavy and the demand light. Prices as a rule were weak and lower to-day, as receipts of nearly everything were heavy and the demand light. Prices as a rule were weak and lower to-day, as receipts of nearly everything were heavy and the demand light. Prices as a rule were weak and lower to-day, as receipts of nearly everything were heavy unchanged. The clearances from seaboard were smail in flour and wheat at 181,000 bu. As the session drew to a close the situation changed decidedly for the worse. There was no encouragement to be gotten out of the cash situation, and as for bullish sentiment there was very little. The selling pressure was again resumed, and continued to the close, the only buyers be heavy and the demand light. Prices as a rule were well sustained, but shippers bought very little, and there was no snap to the market. Potatoes were weak and lower to-day, as receipts of home-grown were heavier and there were also some sacked lots received by river. There was only a moderate shipping demand, and the local requirements were light.

Cabbage was quiet and steady at yesterday's advance, with both demand and offerings light. Onlons were firm and choice to fancy stock was in good demand. Receipts were moderate and included considerable heated and soft stock, which was hard to sell at any price.

Tomatoes were steady and unchanged. Receipts were heavy, but canners were in the market for choice ripe stock. There was no shipping demand, however, and green or half-ripe stock was dead dull. was dead dull.

Celery was steady, and good stock was in fair demand. Some of the offerings were heated or stale, and this class of stock was not wanted at any price.

Sweet potatoes were again lower, as offerings of hone-grown were heavy and the demand was slow. Other vegetables were plentiful and dull.

Apples were dull and slow at unchanged prices. Receipts were fairly heavy, and included some common and inferior fruit, while the demand was light and was confined entirely to choice

Rocky Fords were more plentiful and lower. Standard crates sold at \$2 and half crates at \$1.5c. They sold readily, however, at those prices.

Oranges were firm and in good demand, with offerings moderate.

Lemons were in active demand and firm, as offerings moderate.

Lemons were light and barely equal to the requirements.

Other fruits were quiet and steady at unchanged prices.

Live poultry was in fair demand. Old chickens were scarce and in good demand at steady prices. Spring chickens were firm and in good demand, with the receipts not sufficient for the regulrements. Young ducks, turkeys and geess were quiet and steady, but old turkeys, ducks and geess were dull and nominal.

Veals were steady. Receipts were moderate and there was a good demand for choice small fat caives, but heretics and large calves were dull. Sheep and lambs were dull and slow. Jame was quiet and unchanged. Receipts generally arrived in bad condition and the demand was slow.

Wool was dull and slow at unchanged prices. There was a fair demand for medium grades were dull and nominal. Stock heavy.

Hides were quiet and steady. Receipts were light and all offerings met with ready sale.

Eggs.

The market was quiet, but steady to-day. Strictly fresh eggs were in good demand, but all of the arrivals were more or less heated. Choice fresh stock sold at 11½c, loss off, but heated, held, stale or inferior stock sold for much less.

Butter—The butter market was dull to-day, as the demand was slow and offerings heavy. Quotations: Creamery—Extra 20c; firsts 17½c; steends 18½1fc, Dalry—Extra 182016½c; firsts 11½g; steends 18½1fc, Dalry—Extra 182016½c; firsts 11½g; steends 18½1fc, Dalry—Extra 182016½c; Swiss 13014c; new 12½13c; brick at 10½@fic. Swiss 13014c; new 12½13c; brick at 10½@fic.

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When sold round: Green-salted 8%c; Southern 6%c. Dry-filmt—Choice Texas 15c; average receipts 18%c; dry fallen 18%c; dry-salted 1%c. When sold on selections: Green salt—No. 1 7c; green-salt No. 2 6%c; bull 6c; wet glue stock 3%c. Dry-filmt—No. 1 15%c; No. 2 1%c; dry-filmt bull 10c; dry cull and glue 7%c. Dry-salted—No. 1 12%c; No. 2 11%c. Uncured 1c less than cured; part cured %c less.

Provisions.

Part cured the less.

Pork—Market quiet; f. o. b. \$12.50. Lard easy;
E. side prime steam \$6.50.
County Lard—\$364c, according to quality and package.
Country Bacon—Fair average pieces, uniformly cut and well smoked; Shoulders at 54,65c; sides 667c; hams at 787c. Most of the lats irregularly cut and poorly handled; these sell on their merits.

Green Hams, Elc.—Held in car lots f. o. b. E. side. Hams—On basis \$3c for 16-lbs; New York shoulders at 54c; bellies at 73c to 34c, as in average.

D. S. Meats—Bxd, lots; Extra shorts 74c; c'ribs 74c; clear sides 8c; bellies at 73c to 34c, as in average; plates 74c. Dealers charge higher on small orders.

Bacon—Bxd, s. c. meats in a jobbing way: Breakfast bacon 104c for heavy to 124c for fancy light; hams 104-6114c. California 74c as in average; New York shoulders 7c. Plain smoked bxd, meats: Extra shorts 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies \$4c; c'erbs 84c; c'ear sides \$4c; bellies \$4c; bellies

\$2.15@2.69 for bakers', \$2.80@3 for straights and turkeys ?c; old 6@7c. Chickens—Hens 7c; old roosters 3½c. Ducks 5c. Live pigeons 69c per doz. Geses 3c. Spring chickens quoted at 8½c per lb. Spring ducks 5c. Spring geese 5@6½c. Chickens—Hens 7c; old roosters 3½c. Ducks 5c. Live pigeons 69c per doz. Geses 3c. Spring chickens quoted at 8½c per lb. Spring ducks 5c. Spring geese 5@6½c. AND WHEAT SUF Live pigeons doe.

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VEALS—Choice to fancy 5@5½c per lb.; fair
4@4½c; heretics, rough and thin 3½c. Sheep
quotable at 3½dkc; thin ewes and bucks 2½@3c.

Choice spring lambs 4@4½c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

WATERMELONS—Quote car lots on trk. at \$25830 for Missouri dinks, \$40829 for medium to choice; Jobbing sules \$2210 per 100 for small to choice. choice, CANTALOUPES—Home-grown gems and canta-loupes sold at 10g20e per bu, box. Colorado Recky Fords from Las Antimas received by ex-press sold at \$2 per standard crate, \$1.50 per-ball grant helf crate.

PEACHES—We quote: Texas 4-basket crates 2-340c and peck bas, at 16315c, Arkansas, Tennessee and Mississippi 4-basket crates 15374c.

Near-by consigned stock at 25c to 40c and homegrown wagon receipts at 25330c per 12-bu. stown wagon receipts at 256 for per 12-but basket.

APPLES—Quote: 1.01s in bbbs, at from \$1 to \$1.19 for poor to fair, \$1.2561.59 for good to choice and \$1.5 to \$2 for famey varieties. Homegrown sold loose from wagons at 20c to 50c per but.

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PEARS—Florid at 174,9020c per li-bu, basket—top rate for choice Moore's early.

CRAB APPLES—At 15c per li-bu, basket for choice Siberian; common varieties unsainbie.

PACTPIC COAST FIRUIT — Quote California: Bartiett, pears at \$1.7591.85 per 40-4b, bex.

Plums, per 20-4b, crate—Exp plums at \$1.25, gross primes at \$1.55, German primes \$1.60, Kelsey Japan plums \$1.25.

ORANGES—We quote in a Jobbing way from store. Mexican new summer crop mountain fruit at \$1.50974 per lox; California late Valencia at \$4.64.25 and Mediterranean sweet at \$2.5641 per box, Quotable on trk in car lots: Mexican news \$2.55. California at \$4 for late Valencia.

LEMONS—Quotable on trk in car lots: Mexican news \$2.55. California at \$4.50974 per box, California at \$5.50. Faicey California quoted at \$3.00 trk—25c off for \$98.

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11.744 CUCUMBERS—Heme-grown selling at 200500e
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The aggregate of the day's receipts at Western primary markets was \$25,000 bu. as compared with 52,000 bu. the corresponding day of the year previous. The shipping orders.

SULLY POTATOLES—Home-grown Bernapad SWEET POTATOLES—Home-grown Bernapad

Market Bare of Chickens, While Fowls Held Steady.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Aug. 17.—Live poultry receipts to-New York, Aug. 17.—Live poultry receipts today were 2 cars. The market was bare of chickens and some fancy Illinois stock brought He,
while fowls held steady at Ne, and it is not expected that over 1½ cars of the latter will go
over unsold. Spring chickens, local and Indiana, fancy He; prime Western He; Southern
10½41le; fowls 10c; roosters 6c; turkeys, fair
to good 2c; ducks, Western prime, fair 55590c;
Southern and Southwestern 4c; geese. Western
prime, pair 80c421. Dressed poultry, receipts today 341 pkgs. The receipts to-day were mainly
from the Southwest, withough a few scattering
lots from Western sections were offered. Most
of the stock offered grades under prime in quality and selling on a basis of 10c for chickens and
fowls, but fancy scalded chickens, when found,
brough 10½47le, while the few dry-picked
chickens here were not good enough to bring
any more. Turkeys average best hens 9649c;
toms (38c; spring chickens, Western fancy, large
dry picked 10½c; prime to fancy large scalded
10½c; prime small scalded or dry picked 930c;
small sound \$39c; fowls, Western far, picked
prime 10c; scalded 10c; Southern and Southwestern 10c; Western rough \$353c; old cocks, Western 10c; Western rough \$353c; old cocks, Western 6c.

New York Aug. 17. Aguster, Acts

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

New York, Aug. 17.—Butter—Receipts 4,652
pkgs.; firm, creamery 17/4/212c, current packed
factory 14/216c. Cheese—Receipts 4,219 pkgs.; irregular; large colored 10/5/c; small colored 10/5/c;
large white 10/4/210/5/c; small do. 30/4/210/5/c. Eggs.

—Receipts 4,055 pkgs.; firm; Western regular at
mark 10/214c; Western, loss off 15/216c.

Chicago Poultry Quotations.

Chicago Pags. 2.—Dressed noultry steady; tur-

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Dressed poultry steady; tur-keys 7c; chickens 3\(\pi\_10c.\)

Dried Fruits. Dried Fruits.

New York, Aug. 17.—The market for evaporated apples continues quiet, but about steady at nominally unchanged prices. State, common, was quoted from 2c to 5c; prime 45,054c; choice 55,06c; fancy 65,06c. California dried fruits were dull and unchanged at 35,27c per 1b, for prunes, as to size and quality. Apricots—Royal 11@14c; Moor Park 10017c. Peaches—Peeled 14@18c; unpeeled 605c.

New York, Aug. 17.-Sugar-Raw firm; refined

New York, Aug. 17.—Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 17.—Sugar quiet; open hettle 4½c; centrifugal yellow 52,5%c; seconds 344 9-16c. Molasses nominal.

Coffee.

New York, Aug. 17.—Coffee—Spot Rio barely steady; No. 7 invoice 5%c; mild market quiet; Cordova nominal. The market for coffee futures opened steady, with prices unchanged to 5 points lower under weak Brazilian cables, heavy receipts and brisk general selling. Later, the market steadled on covering and a hull in liquidation. Spot market was weak and irregular. The market for futures closed steady at net unchanged prices to 5 points advance. Total sales 7.756 bars, including Nov. at 7.5667.79; Dec. at 7.567.89c; Jan. at 7.89c; Feb. at 7.8967.85c; March 1.8567.89c; April at 7.9967.95c; May at 7.9568c.

New York, Aug. 17.—The general demand for cotton goods to-day has been up to previous days of the week, but cannot be reported any better than that. No change in prices of bleached cottons or wide sheetings, but brown sheetings and drill and coarse, colored cottons continue easy and irregular. Print cleths quiet and unchanged. Prints in moderate demand. Linens quiet and barely steady, but appears firm.

Hides and Leather.

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New York, Aug. 17.—Hides firm. Leather firm.

Wool.

New York, Aug. 17.—Tin was again 5s lower in London and closed weak at the decline. This caused a similar loss in the local market, with no buyers at any price. The close here was very weak at \$31.20 for spot. Copper was quiet and unchanged locally, but was as lower abroad on the large visible supplies figures, closing at 173 los for spot and 174 for futures. Lead was very dull and unchanged at \$4.25. Spelter ruled weak and partially 5 points lower at \$4.124.64.175. The iron and steel markets were dull, weak and unsettled and nominally unchanged. The brokers' price for lead was \$4 and or copper \$5.5.

its value, in spite of the heavy wheat market, and closed &c higher. Oats declined a trifle; pork, lard and ribs a good deal. Whent.

Wheat opened weak, following yesterday's ic a bu, decline by a further 1/2c drop,

Ran	ge of	Futur	es.	
			Lowest.	Closing.
Sept	4073%	7316	727	7274 0073
Corn-Aug29	274%	74% 67%	7334	73% 12 %
Sept39	6t391-	3914	29 % 89	393
Oats-Aug21	9	87% 61%	37% 114	27.5
Sept 21	6002	22 22	214 974	21546
Pork-Sept	11.40	2214	2244	22344134
Oct	11.45	11.40	11.00	11.00
Lard-Sept	11.0744	11.0714	10.95	10.95
Oct	6.70	6.72%	6.57%	6.6214
	6.421/2	6.42%	6.30	6.03
Oct	6.80	6.85	6.80	6.85
Jan		5.771/2	6.70	5.70
Receipt	s and	l Shipi	ments.	
Articles Flour, bbls			Rec.	Ship.
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Corn, bu Oats, bu			102 600	3:9,000
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Barley, bu			. 11,000	4 (0)

The barley market was firm at unchanged prices. The demand was good and offerings were light. Malting grade ranged from 38c to 48c, feeding from 36c to 47c, screenings from 27c to 32c. Receipts were 11 cars. There were no exports out of New York. Flaxseed was featureless with only a limited amount of trading. Prices ruled about the same as yesterday. Sept. began at \$1.37½, went to \$1.38 and closed at \$1.37 bid, and sellers at \$1.270.

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Timothy and Clover Seeds. Timothy and Clover Seeds.

Timothy was strong and 5c higher than last night's prices. Offerings were light and the demand was good. Dickinsons were reported sellers of Oct. and buyers of Sept. Receipts were 100,000 lbs. and shipments 100,630 lbs.

Cloverseed, like on the preceding day, remained quiet, without trading or offerings. The only sign of life that existed in that market was when \$5.50 was bid for Oct., an advance of 25c in bid since yesterday, but this higher bid did not influence holders of seed to sell.

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Provisions.

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Provisions were heavy, with an unexpected weakness developed in lard during the session. Selling by Cudahy Packing Company of Jan. pork, lard and ribs was the feature of the day's speculative trade. Pork was most susceptible to the attack made upon values, closing at the lowest point of the day and from 35c lower for Sept. to 45c down for Oct. Lard for Sept. and Oct. lost 5c and 7½c each, but ribs held yesterday's price. The demand for meals and lard for shipment and home consumption was well spoken of, but aggressive selling for Jan. prevailed.

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New York, Aug. 17—Flour—Receipts 42,638; exports 5,928; quiet, weak and a shade lower on spring patents. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal firm; yellow Western Se; city Src. Rive steady. Barley quiet. Barley mait dull. Wheat—Receipts 107,925 bu.; spot weak; No. 2 red 75%c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth Styc f. o. b. afloat to arrive; No. 1 hard Duluth Styc f. o. b. afloat to arrive; On 1 hard Duluth Styc f. o. b. afloat to arrive; On thous reflected continued bearishness of sentiment, with Hquidation again a feature inspired by more liberal country offerings of new wheat, very small seabountry offerings of new wheat, very small seabountry. Closed weak at \$465%c net decline; Sept. 7836075c, closed 80%c. Corn—Receipts 117,000 bu.; exports 131,322 bu. Spot steady; No. 2 15%c f. o. b. afloat and 44%c elevator. Options market had another fairly strong day, governed by light offerings, small receipts, buillishness at Chicago, and scattered covering. Closed 40c. Oats—Receipts 46, 200 bu.; exports 400 bu. Spot steady; No. 2 15%c; No. 3 25%c; No. 2 white 28%c; No. 3 white 27%c; trk. mixed Western 26%27c; trk. white 26%c33c. Options dull, but steady. Hay dull. Hops quiet. Beef steady. Cut meats steady. Lard easy; Western steamed 6,90c; refined quiet; continent 7,30c; S. A. 8,10c; compound 6%g8c. Pork quiet; family 114,15@15,25; short clear 113,59%15,25; mess 312,25%[13,25]. Tallow dull; city 4,7-16c; country 4%g44%c. Cottonseed oil casy; prime crude yellow 344,634%c. Rice firm. Molasses firm.

HOLDERS WERE SCARED

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DECLINE OF SEVEN-EIGHTHS

OF CENT AT THE CLOSE.

Corn—Sept. 25%; Dec. 224,465%; Cash. No. 2 for 1097/04; cas

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Natives Steady-Texans Slow-Hogs Closed Lower-Sheep Unchanged.

1 huck 150 2.50
4 bucks 129 2.57
5 bucks 128 2.5
HORSES—Nothing more than a quiet, nominally steady closing for the week could be claimed for the horse trade Friday. Virtually ro commission offerings remained at any of the barns and as the majority of the visiting buyers had filled out and shipped, there was left only a light, to caual trading among speculators and the resident buyers, which was unimportant. The week has shown up equally as good as last on the good chunks and driving horses, such as the middle classes and on Southern animals the tone has not been as active or strong. Rarge horse sales next week will swell the total of arrivals and an influx of buyers is looked forward to.

Horse quotations: Heavy draft—Common to good, \$30 to \$140; choice to fancy, \$150 to \$150.

To to \$150; coach horses \$150 to \$25; Saddlers—Common to choice \$55 to \$125; fancy \$150 to \$155; to \$150; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to \$250 to \$155; to \$20; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to good \$35 to \$35; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to good \$35 to \$35; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to good \$35 to \$35; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to good \$35 to \$35; choice to extras, \$100 to \$140. Southern horses—Common to good \$35 to \$35; choice to extras, \$150 to \$35;

practically sound and classified.

Fig. Cet. 764c; Bec. 18c. Corn active, the 33-gc. Sept. 41c. Cate dull, uncash 2c; Sept. 41c. Cate dull, uncash 2c; Sept. 21c. Rye dull, uncash 2c; Sept. 2c; | March | Marc

Warehouse statement to-day:	1900. 1898-29.	
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Net receipts to-day:	150,723	185,729.
Gross receipts since Sept. 1.	150,723	185,729.
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Gross shipments to-day:	366	8
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Stock on hand:	13,867	67,729.
Liverpool Market—Spot limited demand; prices		
July 1900	July 1900	1808-190.
Liverpool Market—Spot limited demand; prices		
July 1900	July 1900	1808-190.
Stock on hand:	37,524	sales 4,000
Futures closed stade	51,000	51,000
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| Description |

Hester's Cotton Statistics. New Orleans, La., Aug. 17.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows a total of 1,201,898 bales, against 2,732,281 last year; of this, total of American cotton is 705,697, against 2,044,281 last year. Minneapolis Flour.

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Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 17.—Flour and bran unchanged, Wheat—Aug. 25c; Dec. 72%@73c; Dec. 74%@74%c. On trk.: No. 1 bard 75%c; No. 1 Northern 73%c; No. 2 Northern 73%c; No. 2 Northern 73%c.

Petroleum.

New York Aug. 17.—Petroleum dull. Philadelphia and Baltimore in bulk 35.50,
Oil City. Pa. Aug. 17.—Credit balances \$1.25; certificates, no bid; shipments \$5.534; average 107.521; runs 60.526; average 88.529.

Rosin and Turpentine.

New York Aug. 17.—Rosin quiet. Turpentine.

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New York Market Gossip.

The following synopsis of the gossip in regard to the leading features of the New York market was received by D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co.:

New York, Aug. 17.—London houses were moderate buyers of stocks this morning, taking about 19,000 shares in all, the heaviest buying being in L. & N.. of which 3,000 shares were taken for London account. The other purchasers were scattered and included St. Paul and Atchisons, N. P. and U. P.

There was a decided falling off in commission business to-day, and most of the trading was a very tame affair.

[67-180-21% Feb. Bankers' reichsmark, cables 36% 25-16; checks 40% 25-16; commercial putch guiders, checks 36% 1-16; commercial Dutch guiders, checks 40% 25-16; commercial Dutch guide

HOTELS.

HOTEL GUIDE. Following will be found a list of first-class hotels in territory tributary to St. Louis, with names of proprieror, rates per day and population of town. None but first-class hotels will be presented, and commercial men may depend upon receiving first-class accommodations at the hotels mentioned:

ARKANSAS. ARKANSAS.

HOT SPRINGS. ARK.—Pop. 15.000; Great
Northern Hotel; newly refurnished throughout; first-class in all departments; fre
proof; electric elevator; elegant bath house
authority United States Government under
same roof; rates \$2 to \$2.50 per day, \$12.50
to \$17.50 per week. Frank Damron, prop.

MISSOURT

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CLINTON MO.—Pop., 8,000: Hotel Burrell: all modern improvements; prices reasonable. J. M. Burrell, prop.

CAPE GIRARDFAU MO.—Pop. 4,000: the River View Hotel: beautifully situated, overlooking the Mississinpi River: rates, 32 and \$2.50 per day. F. W. DUNLOP, Prop.



14.6 14.5 Springfield, Mass.
Fort Worth
Portland, Me.
Portland, Ore.
St. Joseph
Los Angeles
Norfelk Jacksonville, Fla.
Kalamazoo
Akron
Chattanooga
Rockford, Ill.
Canton, O.
Springfield, O.
Fargo, N. D.
Sloux Falls, S. D.
Hastings, Neb.
Fremont, Neb.
Davenport

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Totals .... \$ 28,976,478 1.9

Foreign Exchange.

There was little demand for foreign exchange to-day, and the market was a shade easier.

D. R. Francis, Bro. & Co. report closing rates as follows:
Prime sterling, cables 4.88%2%; checks 4.87%;
Commercial bankers' checks 4.87%; 60 days 4.84%;
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Grain bills 4.84%2%; cotton bills 4.83%2%;
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Grain bills 6 Swiss francs, checks 5.19%@1-15; 69 days 5.22% @1-16.

Belgian checks 5.17½@1-16@5.13%; 99 days 5.20% @1-16@5.21%.

Bankers' reichsmark, cables 95%@5-16; checks 95%@3-16; 99 days 94½-98-16.

Commercial reichsmark, checks 95@1-16; 69 days 94 5-16%%; 90 days 94.

Bankers' Dutch guilders, checks 40%; 60 days 9 1-16.

Commercial Dutch guilders, checks 40%@3-16; 69 days 39 15-16.